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1. The electric power plant at Stalowa Wola contains two boiler houses. The first of these boiler houses contains four old Wanderrost boilers of French manufacture which were delivered to Stalowa Wola prior to World War II. They are of relatively small size and use small lumps of hard coal as fuel. These boilers have operated efficiently during the past year and were all in operation as of December 1954. 25X1
2. The second boiler house contains three new boilers of Polish manufacture which were delivered to the power plant about the end of 1952. They are relatively small boilers also, of about the same size as the Wanderrost boilers, but they burn coal dust as fuel. Two of these boilers are completely installed and were in operation as of December 1954. The third boiler was not in operation since the Polish technicians who worked on the installation of the boilers were unable to install and adjust the piping system for the third boiler and hoped to complete the job in about six months (June 1955). When their work is completed, the third boiler will also be ready for full operation. 25X1
3. The Stalowa Wola power plant contains two or three small turbines of French manufacture, all of which were delivered prior to World War II. Nothing is known about the operating condition of these turbines. 25X1
4. About 50 meters from the Stalowa Wola power plant a large building for a new power plant is under construction. The foundations for the building had been completed as of December 1954 and work had begun on the walls. After the building is constructed, eight steam boilers will be delivered and installed by a Czech firm. When work on the new power plant is completed, it will be fully equipped to operate independently of the older one. 25X1

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